

Martha C. Bishop papers

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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Bishop, Martha C.
Title	Martha C. Bishop papers
Date	circa 1880-1946
Extent	0.01 Cubic feet 1 folder
Language	English
Text [Folder]	S121

Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Martha Carver Bishop was born on March 3, 1867 to John and Clerey Carver in Straughn, Indiana; growing up in Benton and Newton Counties. She taught school in Illinois for four years and married Hanford Bishop, who was from Nebraska. They lived in Nebraska, Missouri and Arkansas and had three children: T. Vernon, Clarice, and John Donald. She became a resident of Indianapolis in 1905, and in 1932, she became a regular contributor to the "Hoosier Homespun" columns in the *Indianapolis News*. She published songs and poems and cowrote a book entitled, "Hoosier Courtships in the House and Buggy Days." She died on March 1, 1950 in Indianapolis.

Information found within collection.

"Martha Carver Bishop". (1974) In *Indiana Authors and their books: 1917-1966*. (p. 53) Crawfordsville, IN: Wabash College. ISLI 16.810 B291I

"Martha Carver". 1880 United States Federal Census. Dec. 4, 2013. <http://ancestrylibrary.com>

"H. P. Bishof." 1910 United States Federal Census. Feb. 24, 2014. <http://ancestrylibrary.com>

"Hanford Bishop." 1900 United States Federal Census. Feb. 24, 2014. <http://ancestrylibrary.com>

"Hanford Putnam Bishop." Web: Indiana, Find a Grave Index, 1800-2012. Feb. 24, 2014. <http://ancestrylibrary.com>

Scope and Contents

This collection includes a memoir from Martha C. Bishop in Indiana from circa 1880-1946 regarding her life.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

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Custodial History

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Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

- Arkansas
- Benton County (Ind.)
- Illinois

- Missouri
- Nebraska

Subject(s)

- Journalism
- Social life and customs
- Storytelling